

HARRIMAN SAID
TO BE IMPROVINGOfficial Statement of Magnate's Con-
dition Says He is Recovering
from Monday's Relapse.

STOCK MARKET SHARPLY

Union Pacific and
Are Off Severely.

FRIEND TALKS OF

First Detailed Statement of
of Trouble.

WHY HE RETURNED HOME

Wall Street People Take Advantage
of Absence to Raid His Prop-
erties, Assuming His Career
at End.

ARDEN, N. Y., Sept. 7.—All the alarming rumors regarding the condition of Edward H. Harriman have been revived, following his relapse of Sunday night. From the best information obtainable today, however, it is believed that the attack that caused a hurry call for a New York nurse and probably two nurses, one for day and one for night, was a temporary sickness caused by a sudden change of temperature or an indisposition in diet which the sick man in his weakened condition was unable to throw off. Dr. W. G. Lyle, Mr. Harriman's private physician, calls the attack "acute indigestion." In his statement last night he said that his patient was better.

While Mr. Harriman's last attack in itself may not be serious there is always danger of grave consequences in the case of a man as weak as Mr. Harriman. This, it is believed, accounts for the anxiety of those surrounding the sick man. It was said today that although the progress of Mr. Harriman's latest attack had been arrested his temperature remains high and he is exceedingly weak. The best information is that he is in bed and although no confirmation of the report has yet been obtained from the house, little doubt exists here that there are other physicians attending him besides Dr. Lyle.

Stock Market Is Lower.

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—An opening break of 84 points in Union Pacific, 34 in Southern Pacific, 34 in American Express, 24 in Reading and 1 to 1 1/2 in most other active speculative stocks showed the great anxiety caused in stock market circles of the reports of a relapse suffered by E. H. Harriman while the stock exchange was closed for a three days' holiday. The market with only a few exceptions, however, was without any special anxiety, and when trading began and was confronted with reports of heavy selling and severe declines in the London market for American accounts before the opening here.

The sales here were not in as large amount as on Monday, but the tone at first was semi-demoralized. After the opening vigorous support was exerted and prices rallied immediately. Within a few minutes an announcement was forthcoming from the Union Pacific offices that Mr. Harriman was much better and the appearance of the market became quieter.

Friend Discusses Relapse.

An intimate friend of E. H. Harriman, discussing the relapse which occurred on Saturday, said today:

"I think the time has now come when the public should understand the nature of Mr. Harriman's illness. Mr. Harriman is not a strong man, but he is very slender and very nervous, and, of course, has been loaded down with tremendous responsibilities. Last year there developed a difficulty at the point where the stomach enters the intestines. This is sometimes called a rheumatic knot, sometimes rheumatism, and sometimes indigestion. It is at the point which knows its anatomy as the secum. Mr. Harriman, under the advice of his physicians, went to San Antonio and camped near the Hot Wells. He was under the care of Dr. Graves, a well known physician. These wells have a temperature of about 110 degrees Fahrenheit, and are strongly impregnated with sulphur. They are the most relaxing and laxative in their nature and perhaps the best in this country for an ailment such as Mr. Harriman had.

Improvement at San Antonio.

"In dealing with the case it was important that Mr. Harriman should avoid nervous excitement, and the location at San Antonio seemed particularly favorable. He improved greatly while there and felt well enough to go on to the Pacific coast, but he could not get on his feet and he remained upon his enormous business interests.

"Then when he returned to New York his physicians concluded that it would be best for him to go abroad to Bad Gastein. At Bad Gastein things went very well, save that Mr. Harriman lost weight rapidly and at the end of the treatment he weighed ten pounds less than at the beginning. He then went to Vienna, where he was examined by Dr. Kovak, the most eminent diagnostician in Europe. He was fed bismuth and rice, and an examination was made by X-ray and Skyagraphs.

"About this time some people in Wall Street took advantage of Mr. Harriman's absence and made a raid on his property, and assuming that his career was over, even announced the name of his successor. Mrs. Lyle and Kovak, after considering the matter thoroughly, felt that the best thing for Mr. Harriman to do was to return.

Better to Return Home.

"It was all very well to tell him to let business alone, but, 1,000 miles away, with his immense responsibilities, to unburden him this was impossible. His physicians found that there was no necessity for an immediate operation and they thought that if he came back to the United States and went to Arden, he would be able to take food which would be much more to his liking, and could be free from interruption.

"Acting upon this advice Mr. Harriman returned. The voyage was not a good one and he suffered from seasickness and arrived in New York very weak, but with tremendous courage. He went out to Arden and a little later Mrs. Janeway of New York and Crie of Cleveland went there. After an investigation they confirmed Dr. Kovak's view that it was unwise to operate at once, and that the best results could

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Peace and Quiet
Again Reign
at McKees RocksStrike is Settled with Practically All
Demands of the Men
Granted.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 7.—Peace and

quiet will again reign in McKees Rocks. The costly strike, which has been in progress fifty-three days at the Pressed Steel Car works, is over. The workmen, numbering over 5,000, have won a complete victory. Beginning Thursday morning they will return to work 1,000 a day. While formal action declaring the trouble at an end will not be taken until a vote is cast by the men some time tomorrow, C. A. Wise, chairman of the strikers' executive committee, stated tonight that the employees of the big plant will unanimously decide to return to work Thursday. Practically all the demands made by the men, he said, have been granted by the company.

The satisfaction of the men over the final outcome of their contention is general. Among the changes agreed to by the company are the following:

No Sunday work hereafter; half holiday on Saturday; the promise of an increase in wages; the suspension of T. A. Farrell, chief of the company police; a printed list of prices to be paid will be exhibited in all departments so the men will know exactly what they are to receive for piece work, and a guarantee that better conditions are to prevail throughout the big mill.

Owing to residence of Commissioner of Labor Charles P. Neill, nothing definite is obtainable concerning the investigation he is making here in connection with the strike.

It is said Mr. Neill will report to Washington before announcing whether the government intends to prosecute. Excepting to say that action will probably be taken against several eastern employment agencies, United States District Attorney Jordan is also silent.

Preparing for
Large CrowdsExtra Police and Tents for People to
Sleep in Provided at
Aberdeen.

ABERDEEN, S. D., Sept. 7.—(Special.)—

Mayor Aldrich and Chief of Police Zirkles are busily engaged in arranging plans for policing of the city during registration. A large force of plain clothes men will be put on during the three weeks the registration will last and policemen in uniform will also be stationed throughout the residence sections of the city as well as down town. The railroads are also arranging to keep a force of men at each station, many of whom will be familiar with the operations, and in many instances with the faces of big-city crooks who may be expected to follow the registration crowds in the expectation of reaping a big harvest.

In addition to the number of hotels and rooming houses, and the private homes which will be opened to the registration crowds, tents are being ordered which will cover nearly every vacant spot in Aberdeen, except the parks. The tents will be furnished with cots, pillows and plenty of blankets, and will be numerous enough to make it certain that not a single registration visitor will find it necessary to sleep out of doors.

New Boat Line
is IncorporatedArticles Filed at Kansas City of the
Kansas City-Missouri Naviga-
tion Company.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 7.—The articles of association of the Kansas City, Missouri, Navigation company, formed to conduct boat traffic between Kansas City and St. Louis, were filed in the office of the recorder of Jackson county here today. The capital of the company is \$1,000,000. The papers will be certified to the secretary of state at Jefferson City this afternoon and a charter to the company issued.

REST OF BODY FOUND
IN SACK NEAR DETROITMystery of Discovery of Remains of
Young Woman May Be Solved
by the Police.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 7.—The head and arms of a young woman were found today enclosed in a sack in Ecorse creek, under the Jefferson avenue bridge. The torso of a young woman was discovered sewed in a similar sack yesterday in Ecorse creek in the suburb of Ecorse and the police believe the mystery is nearing solution.

The authorities this afternoon began a search for a farmer who is said to have seen an automobile from Detroit speeding toward the Ecorse creek bridge two weeks ago, carrying a well dressed man and a dirty and heavy looking sack.

The girl's body was identified today as that of Miss Mabel Millman of Ann Arbor, the daughter of the widow of an Ann Arbor policeman.

War Over, Milkman Kills
Cows and Dismisses Suit

It begins to look as if the consumers of milk in Omaha might slip their glasses in peace, nor feel the constraining impulse driving them onto war. For, though General Council refuses to evacuate the field of battle, General Barney Landholt, commanding the enemy, has made a complete capitulation and hoisted the white flag of truce.

Barney Landholt, the West Dodge street dairyman who secured the restraining order against Health Commissioner Connell, Tuesday morning made a complete surrender. He had his case before Judge Troup dismissed and before court convened drove his thirty-one tubercular cows to South Omaha to be killed in one of the packing houses there under government supervision.

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DR. COOK TALKS
TO GEOGRAPHERSDiscoverer of North Pole Delivers
Lecture Before the Royal Society
of Denmark.

CROWN PRINCE PRESENTS MEDAL

King, Queen and Other Members of
the Royal Family Present.

MANY DEMANDS FOR EXPLORER

Lecture Bureaus and Publishers
Double Their Offers.

COOK WITHHOLDS THE DETAILS

Says He Will Give Few More Facts
Until the Publication of His
Book—Will Not Enter
Controversy.

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 7.—One of the most remarkable results of Commander Peary's rivalry with Dr. Cook for the discovery of the pole is that Dr. Cook's profits from the enterprise are likely to be largely increased. He received today offers for his books and lectures at twice the figures previously tendered. One American of the highest standing cables terms almost startling and it is believed, far beyond any sum hitherto paid for such work. Dr. Cook is likely to accept this offer.

The controversy is beginning to warm here. Commander Peary's statement is unanimously accepted as true, but there is a very large following faithful to Dr. Cook. His lecture before the Geographical society tonight, however, added little to the information he had given out with reference to his expedition and he repeated the declaration of his intention to withhold details until the publication of his book.

The king and queen, Prince and Princess George of Greece and many of the members of the royal family, together with a large gathering of the most prominent people in Copenhagen this evening witnessed the presentation to Dr. Cook of a gold medal by the crown prince and listened to the traveler's lecture afterward.

Lecture by Dr. Cook.

Standing in front of an immense map of the Arctic regions, Dr. Cook outlined his progress to the North pole.

In introducing the explorer the crown prince said his reception in Greenland and at Copenhagen showed the way the Danes appreciated his wonderful exploit. The prince then begged the honor of presenting to him the medal of the Geographical society. Dr. Cook told his story coolly and without hesitation, but most of his statements had been given out before.

"It is too early," said the explorer, "to give the general results of the expedition. Time is required to digest the result of a polar effort. This northward dash has occupied the minds of men for more than 20 years. Slowly and surely the ladder of latitudes has been climbed, with various degrees of success. Experience was gained and each expedition profited by the misfortunes of its predecessors. The failure of one expedition led to the success of subsequent efforts.

Tribute to Sverdrup.

"The art of polar travel has been created and this art was the nucleus of our equipment. We changed tactics to suit our purpose, but I am bound to acknowledge at the outset that success would not have been possible without the last fortunate expeditions. All honors to the pioneers, the pathfinders to the pole, the early explorers. We are particularly indebted to Nansen and Peary and many Danish explorers for the last stages of polar progress. In my case I am especially indebted to Captain Sverdrup, who is here tonight. His work gave us a new road which afforded us a chance to try the ice a little further west.

"Although profiting by other ventures, our expeditions differed in some important respects. The route we selected I had planned out years ago as a result of reading the splendid narrative of Sverdrup. About the middle of 1907, when we started, the pole was no part of our program, which aimed altogether at study and recreation with the pole possibly as a future problem."

Preparations for Journey.

Then the explorer went over the preparations for his departure and the journey, the recital being similar to that already published. He cleared up the doubts about the lowest temperature recorded, which he reiterated was 83 degrees below zero Fahrenheit. He said he had no doubt that the observations made would prove that he had been on and around the nineteenth degree.

"If I have been within a circle a kilometer in diameter, where the pole is situated," exclaimed the explorer, "I am satisfied that that is quite sufficient for practical purposes. I will say no more until my book is published. When shown the dispatch, which said that Commander Peary claimed to be the first man to reach the North pole, Dr. Cook said:

"Commander Peary, of course, can say whatever he wishes. I am not accustomed to indulge in controversies. All I have to say about Commander Peary is that if he says he reached the North pole, I believe he reached the North pole.

missioner was set for 9:30 in Judge Troup's court.

His representatives would make no statement other than they did not care to fight the case. Landholt had doubtless application for an injunction against Connell and Inspector Scully, asked \$1,000 damages for the loss of 14 worth of milk and was granted a temporary order, but this was cancelled when his suit was dismissed. There are no more legal impediments in the way of the milk destroyers.

With the capitulation of Landholt Dr. Connell expects most of the opposition that has confronted him will fade away and he will have little trouble in the future with dairymen milking diseased cows. He says there will be no let-up in the campaign for pure milk, and it will make no difference to him whether the dairymen are agreeable to his plan of procedure or not.

Shocking!



From the St. Louis Republic.

BIG COAL LAND CONSPIRACY

Sixty Thousand Acres in Wyoming
Secured by Dummy Entries.

FOUR NEW YORK MEN ARRESTED

They Are Charged with Getting
About Sixty Thousand Acres in
Lander District by Fraud-
ulent Means.

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—George W. Dally, Rufus Ireland, Wilberforce Sully and Frank T. Wells were arrested here today by United States Marshal Honkle, charged with conspiracy in defrauding the government out of 60,000 acres of coal lands in Lander, Wyo.

The prisoners were arraigned before United States Commissioner Gilchrist and held in \$5,000 bail.

Wilberforce Sully is a lawyer and is vice president and a director in the American Mail corporation, which has a capital of \$20,000,000, and is also chairman of the board of directors of the American Maltting company, with a capital of \$15,000,000. Both companies have their offices in New York.

Wells also is a lawyer, with offices on Long Island. Ireland is a resident of Long Island and Dally is said to be Sully's stenographer. All gave bail.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—The entries on account of which Dally, Sully, Ireland and Wells were arrested involve about 60,000 acres of valuable coal land in the Lander, Wyo., land district.

The entries were made in 1906 and it is charged that all the entries, about 150 in number, were residents of New York City, most of them barbers and bartenders. In the indictment it is asserted that these entries engaged in a conspiracy with Dally, Sully, Ireland and Wells and others to defraud the government, the entries being made in the interest of the Owl Creek Coal company and the Northwestern Fuel company. Others who were indicted were Samuel W. Gebo of Montana, Thomas McDonald of New York and John Nelson and John B. Wright of Wyoming.

The New York men are said to be people of prominence and wealth. There are two indictments against each of them. There are also civil proceedings looking to the cancellation of the entries and testimony was to have been taken today in the civil cases in New York City. The land office has received no information concerning the New York arrests.

Million Dollar
Steamboat LineCorporation Formed in Kansas City to
Carry Freight on Lower Mis-
souri River.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Sept. 7.—Articles of incorporation of the Kansas City and Missouri Navigation company, capital \$1,000,000, were filed with the secretary of state here today. The leading spirits in the company are prominent Kansas City merchants and their intention is to conduct a freight line on the Missouri river between that city and St. Louis.

An almost complete
directory of
the various rooms
in Omaha will be
found in the want
ad pages of The
Bee.

The easiest way to find the kind of a room that you want is to glance through the large list of rooms which are offered for rent.

Have you read the want ads, yet, today?

Attentions to
Daughter Are
Cause of MurderGeorge Hurd's Objection to Girl's
Company Bring About Tragedy
at Sioux Falls.

SIoux FALLS, S. D., Sept. 7.—George Hurd was murdered at his home early this morning. Two brothers, Eugene and Charles Radford, whose homes are at Franklin, Ill., are held on the charge of murder. The whole case is alleged to have been fired by Charles Radford. The young men claim self-defense. The tragedy was the result of father's objections to Eugene Radford keeping company with Hurd's daughter.

Durum Bread
Given the CallGovernor Burke Asks that Product
of North Dakota Be Accorded
Recognition.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—"Durum Bread day" will be observed in North Dakota by proclamation of Governor John Burke of that state on October 7. The Agricultural department has been notified that the people of North Dakota have been urged by the governor to observe the day by using only bread made from durum wheat flour. Durum wheat is a hard cereal grown only in the far north and is a special product of North Dakota. Governor Burke has requested the Agricultural department to give special attention to the observance of "Durum Wheat day."

Lord Strathcona
Sustains InjuryHorses Run Away and Aged English-
man Falls onto Barbed
Fence.

WINNIPEG, Man., Sept. 7.—Lord Strathcona, while driving to his ranch with Mayor Megaw of Verona Saturday night, was thrown out of his carriage and slightly injured. The horse became unmanageable and to save themselves the men turned them into a wire fence.

Lord Strathcona sustained an injured arm, which he now carries in a sling. Mayor Megaw suffered a broken leg. Lord Strathcona is 82 years of age.

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Bank Advertising

Address of F. W. Ellsworth of the First National Bank of Chicago
Before California Bankers' Association.

"It is not long ago that the banks considered it undignified to solicit business in any way. Today the bank which has the same conception of the word, and refuses to exert itself to secure customers, is either standing still or losing ground, with the chances in favor of the latter condition.

"Undoubtedly, this is true, whether all bankers are pleased with the changed conditions or not. Exhortation for new business may, however, be legitimate means of adding to a bank's business by advertising or other proper form of bidding for popular favor can be depended upon many grounds.

"Is it better, for example, for reputable savings banks to advertise their facilities for taking care of people's money, returning it when wanted with interest, or to allow the savings of the thrifty to be hidden away in the ground, in the unused stove or in various hiding places, to be lost, stolen or destroyed? Should the banks refrain from advertising while every get-rich-quick scheme under the sun is trying to entice the people's money away from them? Shall the bank dealer be allowed to put forth its glaring announcements while the bank or bond dealer with safe and sound securities to sell keeps silent?

"Those who do not favor bank advertising must answer these questions affirmatively—but there are precious few such banks in the country.

"The bank, a beneficent institution, in its competition for the public's money, comes into conflict with schemes of all kinds, ranging from the hazardous and visionary to those which are swindle pure and simple. The promoters of these dangerous and dishonest schemes do not spare their use of printers' ink. It is their chief reliance. While the banks cannot, and should not, go to the same length in advertising their business, they can at least place before the people in a clear, intelligible and attractive form of inducement which the bank offers in the way of safety and service. Then, if people lose or waste their money by putting it into foolish and reckless schemes, the banks will at least have offered them the choice.

"The growing popularity of banking, the wonderful development of savings accounts—in particular, indicate that the educational advertising which has been done by the banks of late has begun to bear solid fruit."

PEARY DELAYED
BY WEATHERShip Carrying Expedition to North
Pole Has Not Yet Reached
Battle Harbor.

SHIP IS ON WAY SOUTH

Indications that First Stop Will Be
at North Sydney.

FINDS NO TRACE OF COOK

Peary's Party Surprised When Told
of His Visit to Pole.

MAKES CLAIM OF PRIORITY

Commander is Preparing to Assert
that He is First Man to
Reach the North
Pole.

Robert E. Peary, having nailed the Stars and Stripes to the pole, on April 6, 1909, as told in his series of messages flashed by wireless yesterday from the coast of Labrador, is figuratively lost to the world tonight, homeward bound on his ship, the Roosevelt.

At Copenhagen royalty continues to pay homage to Dr. Frederik E. Cook, who announced six days ago in a manner not unfamiliar to Lieutenant Peary, that he had the flag of his country at the pole on April 21, 1908. Neither saw indications of the other's achievement; both will be in the United States before the close of the present month.

Commander Peary on the Roosevelt, according to best reckoning was in the vicinity of the strait of Belle Isle, between Newfoundland and the province of Quebec tonight. But it is uncertain Mr. Peary will touch first to amplify the meager news of yesterday. Inadequate telegraphic facilities on the Labrador coast and the northwest coast of Newfoundland may move him to decide to proceed on southward to the North Sydney. Cape Breton, before he gives to the world details of his triumph in the far north.

News Will Be Delayed.

Commander Peary had intended stopping at Chateau Bay, Labrador, possibly tonight, but the telegraph station there was abandoned some time ago, and the Roosevelt push its nose farther south before the world obtains the news. As it comes down the Newfoundland coast, Red Bay and further south, St. George's bay, are at hand, but whether Peary will avail himself of these points, or whether he will continue to the Peary Arctic club, Mr. Bridgman, where he will have every facility is a matter of conjecture tonight. It is 450 miles from Chateau Bay to North Sydney and the time of his arrival can only be guessed. The Roosevelt may reach there late tomorrow.

With her husband's plans uncertain and with no specific message to meet him, Mrs. Peary is waiting at her home at Eagle Island, Me., in readiness to depart for North Sydney.

Bridgman Starts North.

Herbert L. Bridgman, secretary of the Peary Arctic club, left New York for North Sydney tonight. In addition to greetings from the Peary Arctic club, Mr. Bridgman carries this message from the Explorers' club, of which Commander Peary and Dr. Cook are both members:

"The Explorers' club sends you heartiest congratulations upon your triumphant attainment of the long sought—the North pole."

Anthony Flala, who commanded one of the Ziegler expeditions to the pole, is a member of the board of directors sending the message.

Several additional messages filed yesterday at New York or elsewhere were received by associates of Commander Peary today, but none of them gave any further details of his conquest. Through Mr. Bridgman he notified all geographic societies of the world of his discovery and in addition sent a personal dispatch to the National Geographical society at Washington, saying:

"Have won at last. The pole is ours."

In a message to Director Bumpus of the American Museum of Natural History in New York he announces that he is bringing home a valuable collection for the museum.

Congratulatory Messages.

Thousands of congratulatory messages have been sent in return to the returning explorers. Two of the most notable are from Lieutenant Shackleton, the English Antarctic explorer, and Major Leonard Darwin, president of the Royal Geographical society. The National Geographical society called a meeting directly after receiving Peary's message today and quickly telegraphed a reply of hearty praise. The New York Zoological society sent its echo of the world-wide praise through the president in this city, while hundreds of less important messages winged their way through the air to greet the returning traveler. In Copenhagen tonight Dr. Cook was shown a statement credited to Peary that he (Peary) was the first discoverer of the pole. Declining to enter into a controversy, the Brooklyn physician briefly dismissed the subject.

The tooting of whistles of passing craft paid tribute to the explorer's win on her island home today, while his "snow baby" acknowledged them by dipping the American flag.

Peary Will Claim Priority.

The remarkable coincidence of two American announcements of such a colossal achievement, coming within five days, after centuries of fruitless endeavor, constitutes one of the most remarkable coincidences in history. The question of priority in reaching the pole now absorbs attention in this country and Europe. That Peary will claim to be the first discoverer appears to be definitely assured from the following:

First—Formal announcement has been telegraphed from Indian Harbor, Labrador, to all principal American and geographical societies of all nations, including Japan and Brazil, specifically announcing that "The North pole was discovered April 6 by the Peary Arctic club expedition under command of Commander Peary."

Second—A London dispatch received from St. Johns, N. E., states that Commander Peary claims that he was the first man to reach the North pole.

Aside from the question of priority, Commander Peary's announcement of reaching the pole appears to be accepted throughout the United States and the world at large by scientists as well as the general public and there is an absence of the doubt and skepticism which greeted the Cook announcement. There is, however, apparent reserve of judgment on the